The Hong Kong Daily Press.

No. 8701 號一零七千三第 日六初月八唐 年巳己治同 HONGKONG, SATURDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER, 1869. 六年禮 號十月九英 港香 [PRICE $2½ PER MONTH.

Arrivals.

None.

Departures.

Sept. 10, INVINCIBLE, for Whampoa.
Sept. 10, NIGHTINGALE, for San Francisco.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, SEPTEMBER 10TH.

Competition, for Iloilo.
Vision, for Singapore.

Passengers.

Per *Vision*, for Singapore,—
20 Chinese.

Reports.

The American ship *Arracan* reports having left New York on the 22nd April; had a fine passage to the line which was crossed in 29 W. on the 26th May; passed the Cape of Good Hope on the 5th July, in lat. 33, thence to Amsterdam, which was sighted on the 26th July, strong Westerly gales, which freshened so much on the 12th, that after the loss of the two lower topsails, and shipping a heavy sea clean over the port quarter, which filled the cabin, and stove the quarter boat, were obliged to round the ship to, and lie by for sixteen hours. Made Java Head on the 18th August, anchored off Anjer on the 20th August, weighed again next morning, passed through Gaspar on the 24th, and between the Paracel and Macclesfield Bank on the 6th September, and made Hongkong on the 8th; 130 days out. On the 22nd of August, when fifty miles to the South ward of Gaspar, spoke the British ship *Marmion*, from Foochow to London.

Auction Sales To-day.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
Needles.

GUEDES & Co.
Sundry Articles.

EASTLACK AND WINN
Dental Surgeons.

ON and after the 15th July, Dr. Winn's office will be removed from No. 1, *Wyndham Street*, to his residence, corner of *Arbuthnot Road and Chancery Lane.*
tf 1373 Hongkong, 14th July, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are now prepared to Land and Store Goods on the premises lately occupied by them as a Store.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
tf 1528 Hongkong, 11th August, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned beg to give notice that they have been appointed "Lloyds' Agents" for the ports of Tamsui and Kelung, in Formosa.
DODD & Co.
tf 1038 Tamsui, 28th May, 1869.

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS,

HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong. *Office and Residence, 89, Wyndham Street*; but patients visited at their homes if desired. All diseases of the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, silver, vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum.
tf 1150 Hongkong, 14th June, 1869.

NOW READY

BOUND VOLUMES of the TRADE REPORT for the year 1868. Price $10.
Apply at the *Daily Press* Office.
Hongkong, 2nd February, 1869.

GEORGE GLASSE,
(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY, LONDON, AND 22, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS),
ENGLISH AND FOREIGN CHEMIST, VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG.
SHIPS' MEDICINE-CHESTS SUPPLIED AND REPITTED.
tf 2036 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1867.

SAIL MAKING.

WILLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in *Dudbell Street*, and solicits the patronage of the Public.
He has on hand a fine assortment of 8 and 10 ounce RAVINS DUCK, suitable for Boat Sails or Awnings.
tf 858 Hongkong, 30th April, 1869.

E. R. HANDLEY,
(LATE PATERSON & HANDLEY),
HOUSE & SHIP PLUMBER, COPPER-SMITH,
ZINC WORKER, AND GAS FITTER,
16, *Queen's Road West.*
tf 1614 Hongkong, 25th May, 1869.

G. DA SILVEIRA,
JEWELLER AND WATCH MAKER,
2 *doors past the Hongkong Dispensary,*
QUEEN'S ROAD,
HONGKONG. [May 11
tf 926

LEONARD BARNES,
GOVERNMENT UNDERTAKER,
(By appointment).
Funerals entrusted to his care will be properly and economically conducted.
Head Stones cut and erected.
Spring Gardens,
Opposite Messrs. Bull, Purdon & Co.
tf 755 Hongkong, 15th April, 1869.

NOW READY
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FOR scope and practical service this Work stands unrivalled. All the new words which the Chinese have of late years been compelled to coin to express the numerous objects in machinery, photography, telegraphy, and in science generally, which the rapid advance of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are here given *in extenso*. Each and every word is fully illustrated and explained, forming exercises for students of a most instructive nature. Both the Court and Punti pronunciations are given, the accents being carefully marked on the best principle hitherto attained. The typography displays the success of an attempt to make the Chinese and English type correspond in the size of body, thereby effecting a vast economy of space, achieving a clearness not previously attained, and dispensing with those vast margins and vacant spaces which have heretofore characterized Chinese publications.

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VICTOR KRESSER, *Chief Manager.*
Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
tf 10621 Hongkong, 1st January, 1869.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Call of Twenty-five dollars per Share, on the Shares in the Capital of the Corporation, numbered from 20,001 to 40,000, inclusive, is payable on the 1st day of JULY next, at the Head Office and Branches of the Bank.

Interest at the rate of Twelve per centum per annum will be charged on the amount of all calls unpaid, and the other provisions of the 36th article of the Deed of Settlement of the Corporation will also be enforced in respect of Shares upon which the Calls remain unpaid.

By order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.
tf 1111 Hongkong, 11th June, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the half year ended 30th June last, at the rate of Twelve per cent. per annum, say 7.50 per paid up Share of $125, and $1.50 per Share on which $25 have been paid, is payable on and after THURSDAY, the 19th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors,
VICTOR KRESSER,
Chief Manager.
1574 Hongkong, 19th August, 1869.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED have REMOVED their "AUCTION SALES DEPARTMENT," to the premises lately occupied by Messrs. RAY & Co., *Queen's Road Central.* Goods received for Auction Sales will be fully covered by Fire insurance, for which no Extra Charge is made.
STORAGE to be had on very moderate terms.
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.
tf 1421 Hongkong, 24th July, 1869.

NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LAPRAIK, DECEASED.

PROBATE of the last Will and Testatment of DOUGLAS LAPRAIK, formerly of Hongkong, and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, one of the Executors in the said Will named, all persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims to the undersigned, at the Office of Messrs. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., or to HENRY C. CALDWELL, Esq., Solicitor, on or before the 31st day of January, 1870, after which date no claims will be received or admitted.
Dated Hongkong, 9th day of July, 1869.
R. E. BAKER,
Executor.
tf 1342

ILLUMINATIONS.
TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL ARCHES, AND OTHER DECORATIONS.
For the approaching visit of
HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS
THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH.

THE Undersigned is now prepared to execute orders for the above, all information in reference thereto can be obtained from Messrs. WILSON & SALWAY.
JOHN B. HOLLAND,
Scenic Artist, &c.
1297 Hongkong, 5th July, 1869.

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MCDOUGALL & CO., ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS, BRASS AND IRON FOUNDERS, SHIPS' SMITHS, AND GENERAL WORKERS.
Boilers made and repaired; for prices of New Boilers, apply at the Works, *Spring Gardens.*
3m 1278 Hongkong, 1st July, 1869.

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They have also built a commodious BOWLING ALLEY and BILLARD ROOM, Furnished with complete appurtenances, equal to any in the North of China.
3m 1120 Newchwang, 1st June, 1869.

MORRIS & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS,
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QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG.
1647 *(Late J. B. Morris, News Agent.)* [Apl

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THAT desirable Residence, No. 17, *Caine Road*, consisting of Dwelling House, with outhouses and stabling for 4 horses attached, lately occupied by the Hon'ble. W. H. RENNIE. The House has been recently redecorated, and is in thorough repair. Apply to
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tf 1527 Hongkong, 11th August, 1869.

COOK AND COMPANY,
CONSULTING VETERINARY, SURGEONS,
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CALCUTTA,
WILL be happy to undertake commissions for the supply and shipment of horses to China, the Straits, or elsewhere, and in cases where the selection is left to them, will use their best judgment, on receiving full particulars of the stamp of horse required.
They have at present a large number of well-bred Adelaide and Victorian Horses, recently landed, and for sale at moderate prices, including some extremely handsome riding and harness horses, (especially several magnificent pairs) most of them broken and fit for immediate use; also, several first class Arabs, selected in Bombay by their Mr. Rutherford (V.S.). [1454

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JUNE, 1869.

TRAINS RUN DAILY.		DISTANCE.	TIME.	RUNNING TIME.
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PROMONTORY	Arrive	690	9.55 P.M.	1 day & 13½ hrs.
	Leave		10.30 P.M.	
OMAHA	Arrive	1,774	9.30 A.M.	4 days & 3 hrs.
COUNCIL BLUFFS	Leave		11.00 A.M.	
CHICAGO	Arrive	2,296	5.20 P.M.	5 days & 7 hrs.
	Leave		6.15 P.M.	
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Children not over twelve (12) years of age, half fare; under five (5) years of age, free.

100 POUNDS BAGGAGE (PER PASSENGER) FREE.

For Tickets and other information apply at the Company's office.

CHAS. CROCKER,
General Superintendent.
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General Freight and Ticket Agent. [1498

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE undersigned are prepared to accept risks in the above Company for a *Period of Ten days*, on Merchandize stored in first-class Godowns, at 4th of one per cent.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
tf 1636 Hongkong, 26th August, 1869.

THE LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

SHORT PERIOD RATES.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire at the rate of 4th of the annual charge, viz: 1-4th per cent. for any term not exceeding ten days.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,
Agents.
1m 1680 Hongkong, 30th August, 1869.

NOTICE.

"ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY."

THE Undersigned are authorised to accept the reduced rate of *One Eighth* of the annual premium on Insurances effected for any term not exceeding *Ten days.*
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, "Royal Insurance Company."
tf 1542 Hongkong, 11th August, 1869.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. Tennent, Glasgow, and Messrs. David Corsar & Sons Arbroath.
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
tf 474 Hongkong, January, 1867.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
Established 1841.
A. S. WATSON & Co.,
FAMILY AND DISPENSING CHEMISTS,
By appointment
To THE GOVERNOR AND HOUSEHOLD.
N.B.—The Hongkong Dispensary is known to Chinese Servants as The "Hongkong-ti-yuk-long."
1467 Hongkong, 1st August, 1869.

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WINCHESTER REPEATING ARMS Co.,
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References:—
ALLAN MCLANE, Esq., President, Pacific M. S. S. Co., New York.
LOUIS MCLANE, Esq., New York.
JOHN EADIE, Esq., President, United States Life Ins. Co., New York.
Messrs. BARRON & Co., San Francisco.
Messrs. C. ADOLPHE, LOW & Co., San Francisco.
GEO. E. LANE, Esq., Agent, Pacific M. S. S. Co., Yokohama.
GEO. F. BOWMAN, Esq., Agent, Pacific M. S. S. Co., Shanghai.
[1y 1337

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Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,
THIS DAY,
the 11th September, 1869, at 12 o'clock,
At Messrs. MELCHERS & Co.'s Godowns,—
(For account of the concerned),
M C H (in heart) 27/56, { 20 Cases, each containing 500 mills Silver Eyed NEEDLES.
(All more or less Spotted.)
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash on delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
1760 Hongkong, 10th September, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

WEEKLY SALE.

GUEDES & Co. will sell by Public Auction,
THIS DAY,
the 11th September, 1869, at noon,
At their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road.—
1 case containing Gentlemen's and Ladies' BOOTS and SHOES, 10 pieces White FLANNEL, 40 pieces assorted FLANNELS, 20 Velvet Table COVERS, 20 Woollen Table COVERS, Linen Table CLOTHS and NAPKINS, Carriage RUGS, SOCKS and STOCKINGS, HANDKERCHIEFS, 50 boxes Brown Windsor SOAP, 50 boxes Honey SOAP, 50 boxes Glycerine SOAP, 50 cases Cure SOPS, 3 cases SWEETS, 20 dozen each Gold and Silver WATCHES, Eye GLASSES, 50 gross Watch GLASSES, 15 cases SARDINES, 200 tins each, 100 reams Thick FOOLSCAP.
An Invoice of PERFUMERY, 96 Assorted SCENTS, POMADE, Hair OIL, DENTIFRICE, Tooth and Toilet POWDER, &c., &c.
A quantity of JAPANESE WARE, and Sundry HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.
1749 Hongkong, 10th September, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on the Premises, on
WEDNESDAY,
the 15th September, 1869, at noon,
(unless disposed of previously by Private Contract),—
All those Pieces or Parcels of LAND, with 40 Chinese Houses standing thereon, situated near the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Factory, Syingpoon, and registered in the Land Office, as Inland Lots 634 and 680.—
Inland Lot 634, measuring North on Second Street, Syingpoon, 105 feet; South on Third Street, Syingpoon, 105 feet; East on a close Inland Lot, No. 635, 150 feet; West on Government Ground, 150 feet; in all 15,750 square feet. Annual Crown rent, $168.94.
Inland Lot 680, measuring North on Second Street, Syingpoon, 52½ feet; South on Third Street, Syingpoon, 52½ feet; East on a close Inland Lot, No. 634, 150 feet; West on a close Inland Lot, No. 624, 150 feet; in all 7,875 square feet. Annual Crown rent, $69.42.
The whole of the Property is now let at a monthly rental of $100, and is covered against Fire to the extent of $8,000, until 6th August, 1870.
Further particulars may be obtained upon application to the Undersigned.
TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, the remaining two-thirds on completion of Transfer, within Ten days of Sale. All expences of Transfer to be borne by the Purchaser.
C. D. BOPTOMLEY,
Auctioneer.
1631 Hongkong, 25th August, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on the Parade Ground, (granted by kind permission of the Commandant of the Garrison), on
FRIDAY,
the 17th instant, at 5 P.M.,
(The property of the late Mr. Margesson),—
The Bay Arab Horse "ESCA."
The Brown Arab Horse "CHARLEY."
(Both quiet to ride or drive, and have carried a lady).
A Four wheel DOG CART, with Hood and fitted with Pole and shafts, either for one horse or a pair.
A Set of Silver Plated Single HARNESS.
A " Double " (almost new).
A Gentleman's SADDLE and TWO BRIDLES.
BITS, CLOTHING, Driving and Riding WHIPS, &c., &c.
There will also be Sold,—
A Bay Arab HORSE, quiet to ride or drive.
A Gray do. do. do.
A 4-wheel English CARRIAGE.
Three " American do.
A Basket CARRIAGE, with pair of PONIES.
A " TRAP, with PONY.
A Set of New Single HARNESS.
Several Sets of Second hand HARNESS.
TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.
1725 Hongkong, 7th September, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HER Majesty's Vessel *Rifleman*, and the Gunboats *Woosel* and *Busland*, will be sold by Auction, at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on
THURSDAY,
the 18th November, 1869.
The following are the particulars—
"Rifleman," 466 *Tons*, 100 *Horse Power.*—She is three-mast schooner rigged (standing Wire Rigging complete,) has all her Masts and Yards, one suit of Sails, two Anchors, one hundred and sixty-two fathoms of Chain Cable, Davits, Stanchions, &c. The Boilers (2) are good; but the Engines require repair.
"Woosel," 225 *Tons*, 60 *Horse Power.*—The Engines are in good working order. The Boilers (3) are unfit for high pressure. She has one Anchor, Chain Cable, one Downton's Pump; but no Masts, Yards, or Sails.
"Busland," 224 *Tons*, 60 *Horse Power.*—Engines are in good working order. The Boilers (3) are considerably worn, but repairable. She has one Anchor, Chain Cable, Awnings, one Downton's Pump, and Firebearth; but no Masts, Yards, or Sails.
Further particulars can be obtained on application to the undersigned.
ALFRED H. TRIOE,
Naval Storekeeper.
NAVAL YARD,
Hongkong, 28th August, 1869. 1653

TO BE LET, OR FOR SALE.

Pleasantly situated Bungalow, with Garden, Coachhouse, and Stable. Situated in the *Calzada do San Francisco*, Macao. Government ground rental of $8 per annum.
Apply to J. J. FRANCIS, Esq., Hongkong, or J. R. WHITE, Esq., Macao.
tf 503 Macao, 12th March, 1869.

WHAMPOA BEEF, Shanghai MUTTON, and all table requisites for Family use,
AT
J. FRISBY & Co.'s,
Butchers, Grocers, and Market Gardeners.
Store 79, corner of Wellington and Graham Sts.
Butcher's Stall, Central Market.
tf 861 Hongkong, 1st May, 1869.

THE TOURISTS' GUIDE.—POCKET FORM.
REDUCED PRICE $1.
Containing the names of all the Articles of Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture, &c., &c., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pronunciation.
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Liebe's EXTRACT OF BEEF.
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Beatson's Ringworm LOTION.
Blagg's Charcoal BISCUITS.
A. S. WATSON & Co.,
HONGKONG DISPENSARY.
tf 1667 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1869.

FOR SALE.

THE Report of the DELEGATES of the SHANGHAI GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE on the trade of the Upper Yangtsze, and Report of the Naval Surveyors on the Rivers above Hankow.
Price of the Report, without Maps...$6.50
do. with Maps (Photographs)... 8.00
Apply at the *Daily Press* Office, where specimen copies of the Photographs may be seen.
1m 1682 Hongkong, 1st September, 1869.

FOR SALE.

BY the undersigned, deliverable from the ship's side, 749 Tons Wallsend COAL, ex ship *Gunalda*. Apply to
ROZARIO & Co.
5d 1724 Hongkong, 7th September, 1869.

FOR SALE.

CHAMPAGNE, "De St. Marceaux & Co." in Quarts and Pints.
HESSE & Co.
7d 1710 Hongkong, 6th September, 1869.

ORIENTAL BOWLING ALLEYS AND BILLIARD SALOONS,
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Wines and Spirits of the First Quality.
D. BROWN & Co., *Proprietors.*
tf 672 Hongkong, 5th April, 1869.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE above Company having recently erected, at their Docking Establishment at Kowloon, *First Class Machinery*, are prepared to furnish *tenders* for the manufacture and repairing of *Boilers* of any size, and for the making or repairing of steam machinery (marine or stationary), or of sugar crushing, and refining machinery. Shafting, gearing, and every description of Factory or mill work undertaken.
A new Jetty is in course of completion, alongside of which vessels drawing 18 feet of water can lay at any estate of the tide, attached to the Jetty are *shears* capable of lifting *Fifty Tons.*
ROB. S. WALKER,
Secretary.
tf 1237 Hongkong, 24th June, 1869.

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HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,
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The Daily Press

HONGKONG, SEPTEMBER 11TH, 1869.

IT, as is stated, the Duke of EDINBURGH has determined not to visit China, in consequence of the slight offered to him by the refusal to present him to the Emperor at Pekin, the circumstance cannot fail to produce a profound impression at home. If will be, once for all, established that relations so on an equality with China are an impossibility, and it will be shown how much of the old leaven of contempt for the outside nations still remains. If the Chinese were sincere in their desire to enter upon friendly relations with foreigners, and to allow foreign influence to have its due weight over the country, what better plan could possibly be desired than the simple one of receiving at Court a son of the Queen of ENGLAND, allowing it to be known throughout the length and breadth of the land that this had been done, and calling upon the officials and people to show a like respect to foreigners according to their various positions in life? No more efficacious mode could be devised of convincing the ignorant that they had been mistaken in their disrespect for foreigners and foreign institutions, than to show that this had been recognised by the highest in the land, and that the Emperor at the capital and his leading officials acknowledged the error of the old arrogant, pretentious and exclusive policy. But such a course would be simply impossible after the misrepresentations that the Pekin Government have allowed to be made respecting the status of foreigners ever since the last Treaty was concluded. The provisions of that Treaty were never promulgated throughout the country, and the people at large have been encouraged in the belief that foreigners have only made a raid upon Pekin, and that the few who remain there, will before very long be expelled. Such is the account given by one of the most reliable travellers in the interior of the country, as to what he found to be the state of the people's ideas with respect to the question. It is not likely that the same disingenuous statement could be made with respect to the Emperor's receiving the Duke of EDINBURGH; and the consequence would be, that the people at large would look upon it as a falling off of *prestige*. The insincerity of the Chinese at Pekin has thus recoiled on their heads. Their unwillingness to carry out the Treaty even so far as to give it out generally that new relations had been established with foreign nations, renders it now impossible for them to let the true state of affairs be known. The old fiction of tributary nations patronised by the Celestial Empire must be continued in China, notwithstanding that the Pekin Government have sent an Embassy to declare the contrary to all the world. The double game has unfortunately been played on too large a scale for it to continue with any chance of its succeeding; and the Chinese Authorities are forced now to admit the falseness of one or the other side of the professions they have been making. They are no longer able to flatter foreign nations by proposing to look upon them as equals, and to pander to official and popular prejudice by still declaring them to be barbarians worthy only of contempt. They are asked to perform an ordinary act of courtesy, which must have the effect either of showing to the people that they respect foreign nations, or of showing the foreign nations that they despise them. They elect the latter course. They tell the Duke of EDINBURGH that they will not acknowledge him as an equal, and they allow him to pass by their country and to return home, to declare that China is the only nation in the whole world that considers herself too great to acknowledge, with the customary honors, the position of the second son of the Queen of ENGLAND.

China!—and what a nation to arrogate to herself such pride and such insolence! A nation so miserably misgoverned that the slightest innovation is deemed likely to produce utter disorder; a nation who does not blush to acknowledge herself so weak and disorganised that she is unable to grant foreigners the smallest protection, and does not scruple to beg them, in consideration of her infirmities, to abstain from asking of her the same privileges that are accorded by every civilized people; a nation simply existing upon sufferance, and which, but for the consideration shown to her, would fall to pieces of her own rottenness! Yet she has the assumption to hold her head above other nations, and to arrogate to herself the right to look down with contempt upon what she still calls the tributary peoples. The slight is no mere personal one. It has a profound political significance. It is nothing less than an insult openly offered to every civilized nation in the world. But more than this, it one of such a kind that the English people, loyal to their Throne and proud of their nation's honor, will be very little disposed to brook. It is one that will show them how mistaken they have been in encouraging the pretentions to equality which have been advanced, and convince them of what those who know the country and the people have long been aware is the fact that, with the Chinese, there is no dealing with them upon principles of equality and reciprocity—that either foreign nations and their Representatives must take the upper hand of the Chinese or the Chinese will take the upper hand of them.

The officials at Pekin, who are responsible for this slight, may be certain that they have by their want of ordinary decency and ordinary politeness done more to incur the hostility of foreign nations than fifty BURLINGAME Missions could ever repair. Foreigners may put up uncomplainingly with much injustice, and may show much consideration in the way they demand the carrying out of their Treaty rights, when they are appealed to on the score of China's inability to fulfil her obligations. But it is folly, while appealing to pity, to commit an act pregnant with arrogance. If the Celestial Empire is entitled to make such pretentions, she should be able in some way to support them; and not at one and the same time, appear before the Courts of Europe as an impotent and humble suppliant, and show herself at her semi-barbarous court at Pekin to be still wrapped up in her old exclusiveness ignorance and conceit.

There is certainly an almost undisguised effort being made at home to hush up all matters connected with China affairs, and at any risk to quash the question of relations with this country. Blue Book No. 12, of 1869, which is published in compliance with the promise made by Mr. Otway, on the motion of Col. Sykes, is supposed to lay before Parliament the nature of commercial affairs as set forth in the memorial of the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce; but out of the whole of the matter contained in that document, not more than one or two hundred lines with reference to the Transit Dues and residence in the interior of the country is given. The remainder of the memorial is simply merged, and the House left in the dark as to some of the most important points affecting foreign commercial interests in these parts. It would, no doubt, be too much to say the Government is acting dishonestly in this matter, but it is most undoubtedly acting very injudiciously.

In the remanded case which was concluded at the Magistracy yesterday, when two men, one a cattle dealer, the other, the master of a Junk, were convicted of having brought unwholesome food into the Colony, the amount of the fine imposed seems out of proportion to the gravity of the offence proved. It must be evident to all that the defendants tried to hoodwink the sitting magistrate by their admission of a portion of the offence with which they had been charged. Here the Bench displayed discretion, and remanded the case for further evidence. When, however, this evidence was forthcoming, it convicted the accused of the whole of the offence alleged, and gave a substance and importance to the cases which cannot be overrated. The following extracts from the Market Ordinances, No. 9 of 1868, point at once to the grave nature of the offence of which defendants have been convicted:—

XXIII.—No person shall keep, sell, or expose for Sale anywhere, or bring into this Colony, or any Market or Slaughter-house, any Article of Food for Man which shall be in an unwholesome Condition or unfit for such Food; or bring, lead, carry, or drive into, or keep or slaughter in this Colony, or any Slaughter-house, or permit to be so brought, led, carried, or driven thereto, or kept or slaughtered therein, any Cattle which shall be unfit for slaughter.

XXXI. Clause 5.—For every Offence against Section Twenty-three, a Fine not exceeding Two Hundred Dollars, over and above the Expenses of the Removal of the Food or Cattle in question; and also (if the Court shall order the destruction thereof) the expenses of, or incident to, the same; or, instead of such Fine, imprisonment for a term not exceeding Six Months.

The bail demanded in the sum of $25 each and the amount of fine imposed upon conviction, bear no proportionate relationship to the maximum penalty laid by the Ordinance, when the same is interpreted by the discretionary power vested in the convicting Justice, where, instead of imposing a monetary fine as the vindication of the Law, he has the option of ordering that the convicted party shall be imprisoned for a term not exceeding six months.

A commencement is being made with the preparations for the reception of the Duke of Edinburgh. Yesterday various scaffolding, &c., was erected round the Clock Tower and at Pedder's Wharf.

SUPREME COURT.

IN ADMIRALTY.

BEFORE THE HON J PAUNCEFOTE.

In re the capture of certain piratical junks by H.M. Gun-boat "Bouncer."—Petition for bounty.

The Queen's Advocate, instructed by Mr. Caldwell, made application for a decree in the above petition, which was for the capture in Aug., 1868, near Gowtow, in the Gulf of Tonquin, of five piratical junks and three smaller boats. These were armed with 71 guns and 132 men, and they had in tow a trading junk which had been captured by them a few days previous. The pirates all made their escape with the exception of one man, who was handed over to the Mandarin, and the trader was set at liberty with his junk. Annexed to the petition was the joint affidavit of Lieut. Lloyd, who commanded the *Bouncer*, James Murphy, corporal of marines, and W. H. Williams, coxswain of the captain's gig, also a certificate from the captain of the trading junk.

Decree as prayed.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

September 10th.

BEFORE C. MAY, ESQ., AND J. RUSSELL, ESQ.

Robert Purbinton, a ship's carpenter, and Richard Delt, chief officer of the *John George*, were charged by the Inspector of Markets with being drunk and creating a disturbance at the market wharf, where he stated a great crowd was assembled. The trousers of the first were covered with blood and the second had his coat off. On being arrested they went quietly to the station. Defendants, who had nothing to say, were fined 50 cents each, or two days' imprisonment.

In the case of Tsin-a-wo and Ow-a-hung, coolies, charged by Mr. Santos, clerk to Messrs. Bull, Purdon & Co., with stealing a quantity of wire, remanded from the 8th, Fok-a-ch, the Chinaman by whom the coolies said they were employed, appeared, and stated that being a trader from Fat-shan, he had purchased some wire from the firm of Bull, Purdon & Co., of which on the 8th instant he was taking delivery. Mr. Santos was weighing, and he, close by, was superintending the weighing. The goods that had been weighed were placed close by the scales, and a number of coolies were employed by him to carry the wire, and these two defendants were amongst them. At a little distance, he saw a pile of wire, but having nothing to do it, he had not ordered the coolies to carry it off. He had shown all the coolies, what they were to carry, viz., just that which had been weighed.

Defendants stated that they got the wire close to the bin, and that the buyer said "It was weighed." The last witness, on being recalled, stated, "I saw the defendants brought back with the wire, and they did not then say, I told them to carry it off." Sentenced to three months' hard labour.

Mak-a-kong, having made his declaration, stated that he was a carpenter, employed at the Chun-anl carpenters' shop, in the Queen's-road West. About noon on the 9th instant, they were landing timber at the West Praya, Sayying-poon, and carrying it by truck to the shop. On returning, after carrying the first truck load, he saw the defendant, Leong-sun-tai, in the act of trucking away with four planks in a westerly direction, when he ran and caught him, and gave him into the charge of a Chinese constable, who was near. Defendant then pleaded "to let him go, it was his first offence, and he wanted opium very badly."

The defendant said that he was without work, and consequently with the means of subsistence, and some one advised him to carry the wood to the shop, on the chance of the master paying him.

Inspector Grey then proved that in February last the defendant had been convicted of stealing wood. Three months imprisonment with hard labour, at expiration of sentence to find securities, two householders $25 each, to be forthcoming within six months; in default, case to be brought to the knowledge of H.E. the Governor with a view to deportation.

William David Marshall, shipping master to the U. S. consulate, was charged by one Bernard Dow, a seamen of the brig *Waverly*, with having struck, in the Aster House Tavern, about six p.m. of the 9th, a man named Kennedy, on the mouth with his hand, and upon a row ensuing between him and his companions and the Barman, he said that the defendant had then opened a till, and drawing on a pair of knuckle duster, which he took out of it, struck him upon his mouth with this weapon.

James Kennedy, a seamen of the *Waverly*, in his statement, said that the complainant had told him that he had taken the knuckles off the defendant, and carried them away. He said he had pulled them off, but denied the blow given to him. Defendant denied the affair *in toto*.

Complainant, on being recalled, after a great amount of prevarication, stated that he did take the knuckles away, and give them to a chap, for he did not think they would be of any use to him.

Defendant discharged.

A rare case was presented of that perfect agreement on all sides interested, as to the real facts of a quarrel and its legal consequences, in the charge brought by Allat Sing, P.C. No. 364, against Yip-a-cham, of Namhoi, a bawker, and Wung-a-sang, of Shuntak, a shop coolie, for behaving in a disorderly manner, by fighting and creating a disturbance in the street.

Allah Sing stated that he was yesterday morning on duty in the Queen's-road, and found the defendants fighting and creating a disturbance. The one was just as bad as the other. The first prisoner had the stick produced. He struck the second defendant with it, and the second defendant took it from him and struck him on return.

The first defendant admitted the impeachment, he said the second defendant struck him on the back and he struck him in turn.

The second defendant stated he was struck first, and returned the blow. Fined 50 cents each, or in default one day's imprisonment.

The charge against Lew-a-yik, of Watchow, a cattle dealer, and Wong-a-ng, master of the Sampshun-shing junk, for unlawfully bringing to Sowkwun, and there selling, a quantity of meat in a condition unfit for food, remanded from the 6th inst., was completed yesterday.

Both defendants and positively denied that they had sold the carcases of the three beasts, which died in the hold of the junk on the voyage from Watchow, but they admitted that they had been paid by the fishmongers for the animal that was still alive.

The evidence of Ka-a-hoy, a fishmonger, employed in the Yan-lai-shop, Sowkwun, was taken, and entirely contradicted this portion of their defence. He said, "my master bought a live cow from the first defendant. He bought some dead ones out of the water. We picked them up at a distance, and brought them in in a boat."

The defendants were convicted of bringing unwholesome food into the Colony, and fined $10 dollars each, or, on default seven days' imprisonment, and the expense of burying the carcases of the animals was ordered to be paid out of the fine so imposed.

A CHINESE LETTER.

(Communicated to the San Francisco Times.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6, 1869.

o Ching Poo:

After having lived for several years in this beautiful land of gold, which rivals even the "Flowery Kingdom"; in the softness of its climate, the delicacy of its fruits, and the delicacy of its wines; and where all, save "the spirit of man, is divine," I thought I would write to you, O! best beloved friend of my youth, an account of the manners and customs of these generous Americans, who have given our countrymen such a cordial welcome, and thrown over us "benighted travellers" the aegis of their glorious Star Spangled Banner.

Know you that in this land of liberty all men are born free, and with equal rights and liberties, and the makers of their own laws. Here, power belongs to the many, though delegated to the few; and those who really sway the destinies of this mighty empire are men who, from birth or choice, are citizens of the Great Republic. Although the theory of government in the United States is perhaps the most excellent among nations, yet the practice is not always such that those who enjoy its blessings and receive its protection would recommend it as a model for other countries to imitate. In the Celestial Empire, as you well know, the road that leads to distinction, wealth, and power, is that steep and rugged path that climbs the hill of knowledge. It was an apothegm of a celebrated English philosopher and jurist that "knowledge is power;" yet in no other country, save ours, is intelligence a certain passport to position. It is a singular fact, that in this "land of the free," those who are "to the manor born" do not really control its political affairs. It is true our countrymen do not participate in the elections, but yet it is some consolation to know that the foreign element elect their presidents, and furnish material for members of their Congress. There is a little island on the western shores of Europe, which has never been enabled to manage its own affairs at home, but, which sent its sons to the new world, where they build the railroads, dig the canals, populate the land, and elect the rulers of this mighty people. If not gifted with superior wisdom, they are at least renowned for their mother wit, and it has become a proverb among Americans that the sons of Erin may always be allowed to speak twice, a privilege which would not be accounted great in China; but here, where talk passes for eloquence, and verbiage for logic, it is of inestimable advantage. The majority of the Milesians are not able to read the language of their English masters, yet, possessing the intuitive faculty of understanding the constitution of their adopted country, they interpret it to suit themselves, although there is a high court of adjudication established for that specific purpose.

There is an amendment of the Constitution now before the several States, which, if adopted by three-fourths of them, will become a part of the organic law of the land. It proposes to allow all citizens of the country the right of enjoying the election franchise, irrespective of color, creed, or nationality. This most just and liberal measure is violently opposed by that able and distinguished class of foreigners mentioned above. Having already secured the right to vote for themselves, it would be natural to suppose that they would be equally generous, and endeavor to extend to others the inestimable privilege they now so freely enjoy. But mankind is proverbially selfish, and, unfortunately, these expatriated patriots are no exceptions to the universal rule. If the African and Mongolian were permitted to exercise the right of suffrage, they might unite with the more intelligent portion of Americans, and thus defeat such brilliant luminaries as Morrissey, their champion and pugilistic champ on upon the floor of Congress. Some have thought that intelligence should be the criterion of merit, and only those who can read and comprehend the Constitution and laws of the country should have a hand in making its statutes; but, unkindly, the mass of a powerful party would be disfranchised by such a vigorous rule, and no statesman would dare to propose so absurd an idea to such an enlightened people. As it is, a man's fitness to vote depends not on the amount of his knowledge, but on the color of his skin, or the curl of his hair. Truly, it is a beautiful commentary upon the wisdom and generosity of Republics. Fortunately there is a provision in the Constitution that will not allow of representation in the national halls of legislation for those who are not allowed the privilege of voting; and as the "noble race" are extremely desirous of serving the dear people at the capital of the nation, in order that they may have more representation, and thereby increase their power and extend their influence, they may concede to us the right to vote, as it would enable more of them to enjoy the emoluments of office.

Thrice happy are those who live off the earnings of the people—happy in the security of special position; happy in receiving the legitimate proceeds of office, but happier far in the enjoyments of those parasites which are without beginning and without end. I will write thee again, best beloved friend, in the future, of those things which I think will be interesting to thee. Until then, adieu.

SUN TY LEE.

THE FATE OF A STRAW-COLOURED CHIGNON.

The Paris correspondent of the *Telegraph* tells the following story, which happened recently in the Bois:—One of our best "international" gentlemen-riders was taking his pleasure there—such pleasure, that is to say, as may be had in a Victoria, at 2f. 75c. the hour. Calmly reflecting on good things in general, did his next good thing in particular, he went mooning up and down the shore of the great lake. Suddenly his companion called and roused him from his reverie. Looking up, he saw his steed—a proud animal—consuming something. What do you think it was? Why, only the straw-coloured chignon of the lady in the Victoria in front of him. Now, this is really a fact, and happened about 6-30 p.m. on Saturday, the 9th, a man named Kennedy, on the mouth with his hand, and upon a row ensuing between him and his companionand the Barman, he said that the defendant had then opened a till, and drawing on a pair of knuckle duster, which he took out of it, struck him upon his mouth with this weapon.

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A STRANGE CHARACTER.

(Pall Mall Gazette, July 16.)

The intellectual activity of a certain class of lunatics is curiously illustrated in the report on the lunatic asylums in Ireland, which has lately been printed and laid before Parliament. A man named Joseph Longfrey escaped from the Dundrum Asylum with two other patients, none of the party being looked upon as lunatics by the medical officers, although confined there as criminal lunatics. Mr. Longfrey was the leader of the fugitives, and is described as being of an extraordinarily clever and ingenious mind. He could do things quite beyond what men in general can perform, and his cleverness was even exceeded by his versatility. He was a good shoemaker, a tailor, a weaver. He made from a scrap of iron a key by which he could open the door of his division. He put together a wooden sewing machine out of his own contrivance, with which he made clothes for himself, and his mind just before his escape seemed so intent on improving this machine, that there was little apprehension of his attempting to escape. His career, it is stated, before he came to the asylum, was most extraordinary. He had been in the British army, in the French army, and in the French navy; and had been in British, German, and Russian prisons. He had a fair grammatical knowledge of French, knew something of German, and was completely self taught; his story, although he had passed the various phases of existence above described, was only twenty seven. He spoke well and reasonable, the great defect in his character being a fickleness of purpose. He had that rambling disposition that is never satisfied, with travel and adventure; and if his principles were good and upright he would in all probability have had a distinguished career in life. Longfrey was, in fact, not unlike one of Ouida's heroes. No trace of him has yet been found.

A BABY SHOW.

(Daily News.)

When the speculative Barnum determined to hold a Baby Show in New York, he caused himself to be arrested for kissing a mother. His defence, when he was brought before a magistrate for this offence against good morals, was that he had been searching high and low for beautiful babies, and that at last he had found one so exquisite that, carried away by a feeling of respectful admiration, he had kissed the mother for the sake of her infant. Mr. Barnum was fined one dollar, and an account of the affair appeared in every newspaper in the land. The speculation proved a successful one, the Show went on for several days, and during that time the part of Broadway in which "Barnum's Museum" is situated was almost blocked up by the carriages of those who were eager to see the infant whose charms were so wonderful that the heart of the great Barnum had been vanquished, and he had forgotten the citizen in the man. When the exhibition came to an end, Mr. Barnum explained to his gulled but admiring fellow citizens how, by the expenditure of one dollar, he had realized several thousands. We recommend this story to those who intend to follow the example of the impresario of the Exhibition of Babies in the North Wokkind Garden; we hardly think that, on their own single merits, such exhibitions are likely to be remunerative. Mothers always consider their own babies to be angels, but this delusion is rarely shared in by others. We know of few greater social infliction than being obliged to admire the baby which is brought in for inspection by its adoring mother, and are inclined to agree with the old bachelor who said that he loved all babies, but especially when they cried, as then there was some chance of their being spared. Artemus Ward used to say in his lecture, "I like little girls—I like big girls too." To listen to the innocent prattle of a little child, or to observe even its earliest efforts to crawl about a room, is not without a certain charm; but as long as a child can neither talk nor crawl, but is carried about in its mother's arms, a lump of animated dough, it is as uninteresting an object to a stranger as it is possible to imagine. Three hundred babies, each lying in a cradle, and each periodically squalling for its dinner, is an exhibition as insipid as it is uninteresting. The smile of innocence and the sleep of innocence are pretty as poetical figures, but an exhibition of three hundred innocents smiling or sleeping, is an attempt to convert poetry into hard matter-of-fact prose, which must fail.

At a recent woman's rights meeting in New York, according to the reported proceedings, Miss Upham announced herself as a woman who was not married, never had been, and probably never would be, and then put the following conundrums: Who am I? What am I? Where am I? Am I a citizen or am I not? Where do women stand? Or do we, like Mohammed's coffin, hang in mid-air?

ORIGIN OF THE WORD "DON."—This very often unwelcomely familiar word is derived by some from the French verb *donner*, meaning "give;" by others from the old Saxon word *down*, "to clamour;" but both of these derivations are wrong. The word owes its origin to a famous English bailiff, named

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHN CHARLES RIDGE is authorised to sign our Firm, per procuration, in Foochow, from this date.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

1m 1695 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1869.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr. HENRY DAVIES MARGESSON, in our Firm, ceased on the 30th June last; and Mr. MONTIMER EVELYN MURRAY was admitted a Partner therein on 1st July.

MARGESSON & Co.

tf 1478 Hongkong, 3rd August, 1869.

MR. LEONHARD STAEL has been admitted a Partner in our firm, from this date.

HESSE & Co.

3m 1272 Hongkong, 1st July, 1869.

NOTICE.

I HAVE this day established myself as a Public Accountant, Average Adjuster, and General Commission Agent.

C. LANGDON DAVIES.

tf 1243 Hongkong, 1st July, 1869.

MR. FRITZ RAPP has been duly authorized to sign our firm, per procuration, from this date.

P. BLACKHEAD & Co.

tf 1166 Hongkong, 11th June, 1869.

NOTICE.

WE have this day admitted Mr. BENJAMIN E. GALL as a Partner in our firm.

FAWCETT & Co.

tf 643 Hongkong, 1st April, 1869.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW.

THE Departure of the Steamship

"KWANG-TUNG,"

Capt. Pitman, is POSTPONED until TOMORROW, the 12th instant, at 8 A.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

2d 1746 Hongkong, 10th September, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, MAURITIUS, AND LONDON.

THE O. S. S. Company's Steamer

"DIOMED,"

Captain Crompton, expected to arrive here from Shanghai on or about the 16th instant, will have immediate dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BIRLEY & Co.

tf 1747 Hongkong, 10th September, 1869.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

THE Company's steamer

"DUPLEIX,"

Capt. Champenois, will be dispatched for YOKOHAMA (*direct*), shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail, expected on the 14th inst.

C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.

tf 1737 Hongkong, 9th September, 1869.

COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

THE Company's Steamer

"LABOURDONNAIS,"

Captain Rapatel, will be dispatched for SHANGHAI shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail, expected on the 14th inst.

C. BERTRAND,
Principal Agent.

tf 1738 Hongkong, 9th September, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamer

"CLAN ALPINE,"

Capt. Hutchinson, will be dispatched for the above ports on TUESDAY, the 14th inst., at 4 P.M., instead of the time previously notified.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

2d 1731 East Point, 8th September, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamer

"HINDOSTAN,"

Captain De Emidi, will leave for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 14th inst., at 4 P.M.

Despatches will close at 3 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

8d 1720 Hongkong, 7th September, 1869.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE American Barque

"GALVESTON,"

Briard, Master, will follow the *North Star* for the above port, and have dispatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

6w 1706 Hongkong, 4th September, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE.

THE British Barque

"ASIA,"

Captain W. Kirk, will sail for the above port with quick dispatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

R. HARIBHOY.

14d 1691 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1869.

FOR MANILA.

THE Spanish Ship

"ALAVEZA,"

Ysaurieta, Master, will have quick dispatch for the above port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

RAMBHOOS & Co.

tf 1692 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1869.

FOR SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, HIOGO, AND YOKOHAMA.

THE P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamship

"OREGONIAN,"

Captain Dearborn, will have dispatch for the above ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

T. A. HARRIS,
Agent.

tf 1716 Hongkong, 7th September, 1869.

FOR BOMBAY (*Direct*).

THE A 1 British Barque

"ISTAPA,"

Capt. Morison, having greater part of her Cargo engaged, will have *quick dispatch for the above Port.*

For Freight, apply to

FAZUL MOHOMED DAMABHOY.

tf 1686 Hongkong, 2nd September, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE A 1 American Clipper ship

"GAME COCK,"

B. F. Sherburne, Master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa, and have immediate dispatch for the above port.

For Freight, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co.

tf 1353 Hongkong, 10th July, 1869.

FOR BANGKOK.

THE A 1 British Barque

"LYEE-MOON,"

with immediate dispatch.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

A. S. HUREROWS & SONS.

tf 1700 Hongkong, 3rd September, 1869.

FOR SYDNEY, *Direct.*

THE Clipper Barque

"ISLE OF FRANCE,"

Capt. Sinclair, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will have immediate dispatch for the above port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

ROZARIO & Co.

tf 1861 Hongkong, 31st August, 1869.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE North German barque

"DOCTOR PETERMANN,"

Fredericks, Master, having the greater portion of her cargo engaged, will load here and at Whampoa, and have immediate dispatch for the above port.

For Freight, apply to

OLYPHANT & Co.

tf 1532 Hongkong, 19th August, 1869.

Vessels on the Berth.

FOR NEW YORK.

THE American ship

"ROME,"

338 A 1. 1. at Veritas, will have dispatch from Whampoa for the above port, and has room for a limited amount of freight at $1.17.5 per ton of 40 feet.

For Freight, apply to

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

1m 1669 Hongkong, 23rd August, 1869.

FOR SINGAPORE.

THE Clipper barque

"RIVER CLYDE,"

Capt. W. Crawford,

Apply to

GILMAN & Co.

7d 1721 Hongkong, 7th September, 1869.

FOR MELBOURNE, (*direct*).
(*To follow the "Marquis of Argyle."*)

THE Clipper Ship

"JOSHUA BATES,"

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AT LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

tf 1360 Hongkong, 12th July, 1869.

D. NICHOLSON & COMPANY, SILK, WOOLLEN, and Manchester WAREHOUSEMEN, COLONIAL AND FOREIGN AGENTS, 50, 51, and 52, St. Paul's Churchyard, London, Invite the attention of Merchants and Traders throughout India and China to the fact that they have had 25 years' experience as SHIPPERS OF GOODS to those Markets, and that they undertake the execution of Indents on the closest wholesale terms.

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ELLWOOD'S PATENT AIR-CHAMBER CORK AND FELT HELMETS are manufactured WITHOUT INDIA-RUBBER, and are perfectly free from the objectionable and dangerous qualities of all articles of clothing made of that material when used in tropical climates.

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JOHANN MARIA FARINA,

Opposite the Jülichs-Place, COLOGNE, PRUSSIA, Established 1709.

By Special Appointment, Purveyor to H. M. Q. M. Queen Victoria, H. M. M. the King of Prussia, the Emperor of Russia, the Emperor of France, H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, &c., &c.

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The numerous imitations of my Eau de Cologne (the only genuine) which are constantly offered, induce me to bring to the notice of the public that all bottles containing my manufacture have affixed to them my trade mark, the same being a white label bearing in black the seal and signature of my firm, as under:—

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Gegenüber dem Jülichs Platz.

My Eau de Cologne may be had of all the principal perfumers and druggists in England, or by applying direct to my undersigned address in Cologne (Prussia), and I hereby caution the public against selling imitations of my label and trade mark, both of which are protected by the high Courts of England and Germany.

JOHANN MARIA FARINA,
Opposite the Jülichs Place.

Be careful to direct your letters exactly to "Johann Maria Farina, opposite the Jülichs Place, Cologne (

Houses, Lands, Tenements, &c

TO LET.

THE HOUSE, No. 5, West Terrace, at present occupied by Captain BAKER, in perfect repair. Possession on 15th October.
Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
53, Wyndham Street.
tf 1741 Hongkong, 9th September, 1869.

TO LET.

THAT 6-Roomed HOUSE, No. 31, Elgin Street, corner of Caine Road. Water laid on. Rent $45. Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
53, Wyndham Street.
1m 1742 Hongkong, 9th September, 1869.

TO LET.

A FURNISHED BED-ROOM and BATH-ROOM, with or without Board. Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
53, Wyndham Street.
1m 1687 Hongkong, 2nd September, 1869.

TO LET,
(With immediate possession),
A BUNGALOW at Pok-fulum. Apply to
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
tf 1683 Hongkong, 1st September, 1869.

TO LET.

TWO Large GODOWNS, at Wanchi, at Moderate Rent. For particulars, apply to
P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.,
Corner of Hollywood Road and Cochrane St.
1m 1673 Hongkong, 1st September, 1869.

NOTICE.—TO LET.

THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the ORIENTAL BANK.
For particulars, apply to
SMITH, ARCHER & Co.
tf 929 Hongkong, 19th May, 1868.

TO LET.

THE Two Storied HOUSE, No. 103, on the corner of Queen's Road and Peel Street, containing large godowns, and well suited for a merchant's office and residence. Water and gas laid on. Apply to
P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.,
Corner of Hollywood Road and Cochrane St.
1m 1672 Hongkong, 1st September, 1869.

TO LET.

THE HOUSE, No. 3, West Terrace, Caine Road. Gas laid on. Possession 1st September. Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
53, Wyndham Street.
1m 1589 Hongkong, 18th August, 1869.

TO LET.

IN Old Bailey Street, Two BUNGALOWS. Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53, Wyndham St.
1m 1562 Hongkong, 16th August, 1869.

TO LET.

THOSE Central PREMISES, No. 1, Wyndham Street, lately occupied by Mrs. BONNETT, suitable for Store or Offices. Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
53, Wyndham Street.
1m 1561 Hongkong, 16th August, 1869.

TO LET.

THAT large and commodious House, fronting the public garden, at Macao, at present occupied by N. T. Armero, Esq. Possession can be had after 15th August next.
For particulars, address to
M. AYRES DA SILVA,
25, Rua Formosa.
tf 1453 Macao, 28th July, 1869.

TO LET,
(With immediate possession),
THE upper and lower part of the HOUSE on Pedder's Wharf, lately occupied by
THOS. HUNT & Co.
tf 1391 Hongkong, 17th July, 1869.

TO LET.

THE commodious Business Premises lately in the occupation of Messrs. SMITH, ARCHER & Co., situated at Spring Gardens, and consisting of a Large Three-storied Dwelling House containing 22 Rooms, with outhouses and Stables attached; two large dry and airy Godowns, capable of holding 10,000 piculs each, with Offices and Private rooms over the same. The whole having a frontage on the Praya of 210 feet, with use of a private wharf; and a fine view of the harbor.
The houses have recently been painted and put in thorough repair.
For further particulars, apply to
JOHN GERRARD.
tf 1586 Hongkong, 19th August, 1869.

TO LET,
With possession on the 1st day of September next.
THE Premises now occupied by Messrs. BOSMAN & Co., situated on the Praya Central, as well as the Wharf opposite.
For particulars, apply to
WO HANG.
1m 1547 Hongkong, 13th August, 1869.

TO LET.

THAT commodious family residence in Bonham Road, known as "Parsepolis" containing 12 Rooms, besides basement story, Bath rooms, Coach House and Stable, Gas and Water laid on.
Also, Croquet ground, Flower and Vegetable garden. Apply to
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,
53, Wyndham Street.
tf 1050 Hongkong, 4th June, 1869.

TO LET,
(With immediate possession,)
SEVERAL Strong commodious GODOWNS, very conveniently situated on Marine Lot No. 83, between Messrs. JOHN BUDD & Co.'s premises and Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s Wharf.
For Particulars, apply to
A. McLEOD,
At Messrs. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 829 Hongkong, 26th April, 1869.

TO LET.

With Possession on the 1st May Next.
THOSE very desirable Business Premises, situated in the Queen's Road, and extending to the Praya, at present occupied by Messrs. BOWEA & Co.
This property can be divided into three portions—that in the Praya is detached, and contains extensive Godowns in the ground and mid'le floors, with private residence on the upper floor and separate entrance thereto.
The portion abutting on the Queen's Road, from its very central position, is admirably adapted for a Shop or Store, having Godowns on the basement floor, and Dwelling Apartment on the upper floor.
The central portion consists of two Blocks of Buildings, each two storied, and suitable for Offices and Godowns.
For Particulars, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 426 Hongkong, 1st March, 1869.

TO LET,
With immediate possession.
TWO commodious two-storied Granite GODOWNS, at Wanchi, (adjoining the Union Dock Company's timber yard), on which property, also, STORAGE can be had at moderate terms.
For particulars, apply to
LANDSTEIN & Co.
tf 840 Hongkong, 27th April, 1869.

TO LET.

HOUSES in Mosque Terrace (Caine Road), newly painted and in thorough repair. Water laid on. Apply to
JOHN GERRARD.
tf 1288 Hongkong, 5th July, 1869.

CLUB CHAMBERS, D'AGUILAR STREET

A FEW Sets of these desirable Chambers are now vacant, and can be had on reasonable terms. Apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 2147 Hongkong, 14th November, 1868.

TO LET,

THE HOUSE, No. 1, in Caine Road, very conveniently situated and commanding an excellent view of the harbour; contains eight rooms. Stabling for two ponies, and the necessary accommodation for servants. Gas and water laid on.
For particulars, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
tf 1246 Hongkong, 26th June, 1869.

TO BE LET,

THE very desirable business premises lately occupied by Messrs. LYALL, STILL & Co., a portion of which are now occupied by Messrs. RUSSELL & Co.—with large and commodious dwelling-house and extensive Godowns on the Praya.
For full Particulars, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
tf 2364 Hongkong, 16th December, 1868.

To Let.

TO BE LET,
With Possession on 1st Oct. next.
THE HOUSE and OFFICE, No. 9, Gough Street, at present occupied by Messrs. KIRCHNER, BROOKE & Co. Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1274 Hongkong, 1st July, 1869.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.

THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise in their own Boats, and to receive the same on Storage in first class GRANITE GODOWNS on moderate terms.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 4th March, 1867.

TO LET.

TWO Commodious HOUSES, situated in Spring Gardens, possessing a thorough view of the harbour. Apply to
DE NOWROJEE,
Opposite to ORIENTAL BANK.
tf 291 Hongkong, 5th February, 1869.

TO LET.
With immediate possession.
THE HOUSE and OFFICES, No. 4, Gough Street, lately occupied by Messrs. A. WILKINSON & Co. Apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf 1057 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

TO LET.

THREE HOUSES on Pedder's Hill, each containing Four Rooms, with Outhouses, &c. Gas and Water laid on.
Six Granite GODOWNS, below Pedder's Hill, in Wyndham Street.
Two HOUSES in Peel Street, each containing Six Rooms, with Godowns. Compradore's Room, &c. Water and Gas laid on.
For Particulars, apply to
A. PESTONJEE SETNA,
Corner of Gage and Peel Streets.
tf 1273 Hongkong, 1st July, 1869.

HOUSES TO LET.

IN various Parts of Hongkong. A list of HOUSES with size, locality and terms can be seen at No. 53, Wyndham Street.
THOS. W. BARRINGTON.
tf 642 Hongkong, 11th March, 1867.

TO LET.

FOR a term of years, with early possession, those desirable premises in Bank Buildings situated between the Agra Bank and Compteur d'Escompte, at late in the occupation of the Bank of Hindustan, China, and Japan. The principal building is very suitable for division into Offices or Chambers.
For further particulars, apply to
GILMAN & Co.
tf 697 Hongkong, 17th April, 1867.

TO LET.

ONE FLOOR of a HOUSE in Queen's Road, well situated.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.
tf 591 Hongkong, 24th March, 1869.

TO LET.

A CONVENIENTLY Situated HOUSE in Chancery Lane. Rent moderate.
Apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
tf 1895 Hongkong, 6th October, 1868.

Insurances.

HAMBURG BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding Ten days	¼	of the annual rate
Not exceeding 1 month	½	do. do.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding three months	¾	do. do.
Above 3 months, and not exceeding six months	¼	do. do.
Above six months the full annual rate.		

WM. PUSTAN & Co., Agents.
tf 1667 Hongkong, 30th August, 1869.

DE OOSTERLING
SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual terms.
SIEMSSEN & Co.
tf 1869 Hongkong, 1st August, 1869.

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

ENGAGED EXCLUSIVELY IN MARINE INSURANCE.
Paid up Capital—$500,000.00.

THE Undersigned having been duly appointed Agents of the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks on the usual terms.
OLYPHANT & Co.
tf 1292 Hongkong, 2nd July, 1869.

NOTICE.

QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼	per cent.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding	½	do. do.
Above 3 months, and not exceeding	¾	do. do.
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,
Agents Queen Insurance Company.
tf 954 Hongkong, 22nd May, 1868.

NOTICE.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at Current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the world.
MORGAN LAMBERT & Co.,
Agents.
tf 2113 Hongkong, 7th November, 1868.

NOTICE.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding Ten days	¼	of the annual rate
Above 1 month, and not exceeding	½	do. do.
Above 3 months, and not exceeding	¾	do. do.
Above six months the full annual rate.		

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.
tf 675 Hongkong, 13th August, 1869.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

FOR Insuring Houses and other Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbours, or Dock, and the Cargoes of such Ships also, Ships Building and Repairing; Barges and other Vessels on Navigable Rivers and Canals, and Goods on board such Vessels throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.
The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE to the extent of $60,000 on any one First Class Risk.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, 1st January, 1867.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $60,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored thereon.
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
tf Hongkong, 24th August, 1864.

UNION OF HAMBURG UNDERWRITERS

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents at Amoy for the Union of Hamburg Underwriters.
All documents to substantiate claims against these Underwriters must be certified by us, or they will not be recognised.
(Signed) ELLIS & Co.
tf 1562 Amoy, 8th August, 1869.

Insurances.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST, A.D. 1720.

HEAD OFFICE IN LONDON
No. 7, Royal Exchange, Cornhill, E.C.
WEST END OFFICE.—No. 7, Pall Mall, S.W.

RICHARD BAGGALLAY, Esq.—Governor
JAMES BLYTH, Esq.—Sub-Governor.
EDWIN GOWER, Esq.—Deputy-Governor.

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JOHN LAURENCE, Esq.

The CORPORATION of the LONDON ASSURANCE have appointed Agents for the issue of Policies for Marine Assurance in INDIA and CHINA as under:—
Bombay—Messrs. EWART, LATHAM & Co.
Madras—Messrs. ARBUTHNOT & Co.
Calcutta—Messrs. MACKILLOP, STEWART & Co.
Hongkong—Messrs. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Shanghai—Messrs. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Foochow.—Messrs. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Mauritius—Messrs. BLYTH BROTHERS & Co.
The undersigned are prepared to issue Policies of the CORPORATION of the LONDON ASSURANCE, payable either here, in LONDON, at any of the above-named Agencies, and also at
Melbourne, Victoria—
Messrs. DALGETY, BLACKWOOD & Co.
Launceston, Tasmania—
Messrs. DE CROS, NICHOLS & Co.
Hobart Town—
{Mr. LAVINGTON ROOPE.
Adelaide, S. Australia—
Messrs. ELDER, SMITH & Co.
Sydney, New S. Wales—
Messrs. FARNING, GREENFIELD & Co.
Dunedin, Otago, New Zealand—
Messrs. DALGETY, RATTRAY & Co.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 146 Hongkong, 21st January, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION

LIFE ASSURANCES.

THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding £5,000.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 1959 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding £5,000.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 1959 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

NOTICE.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

THE following rates will in future be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼	per cent.
Above one month, and not exceeding 3 months	½	do. do.
Above three months, and not exceeding 6 months	¾	do. do.
Above six months, the full annual rate.		

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.
tf 687 Hongkong, 8th April, 1868.

NOTICE.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼	per cent.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding	½	do. do.
Above 3 months, and not exceeding	¾	do. do.
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,
Agents.
tf 699 Hongkong, 7th April, 1868.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 1958 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above CORPORATION are prepared to grant FIRE and MARINE INSURANCE on the usual terms.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
tf 3025 Hongkong, 27th December, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz:—
On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein—in Hongkong, $60,000; in Macao $45,000.
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company of Liverpool.
tf 698 Hongkong, 17th June, 1864.

REDUCTION
In the rates of premium for FIRE INSURANCE.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last, received authority from the Secretary of the Royal Insurance Company to reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on private residences and on Furnitures and effects therein contained.
In caseed Dwelling Houses removed from the town the rate of premium will be three-quarters per cent. in place of one per cent. per annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences so situated being detached or semi-detached the rate will be further reduced to one-half per cent.
The Royal's annual rates for Fire Insurance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows until further notice, viz:—

Detached and semi-detached Dwelling Houses (removed from the town) and their contents	¾	per cent.
Other Dwelling Houses (similarly situated) and their contents	¾	per cent.
Offices and Godowns and their contents	1	per cent.
First Class China Houses and their contents	1½	per cent.
Other Risks by Special arrangement.		

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
tf 714 Hongkong, 9th November, 1866.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Office, are prepared to accept MARINE RISKS, and issue Policies on any First-class Sailing Vessels or Steamers on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in China, Singapore, Calcutta, Bombay or London.
ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.
tf Hongkong, 8th October, 1868.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following rates will be charged in future for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼	per cent.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding	½	"
Above 3 months, and not exceeding	¾	"
Above 6 months the full annual rate of	1	"

ROBT. S. WALKER & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.
tf 674 Hongkong, 7th April, 1868.

NOTICE.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Above 1 month but not exceeding	¼	of the annual rate
Above 3 months but not exceeding	½	do. do.
Above 6 months but not exceeding	¾	do. do.
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

A. G. HOGG & Co.,
Agents, Sun Fire Office.
tf 676 Hongkong, 9th June, 1868.

Insurances.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY.
SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES against Fire on Buildings and Goods, at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 366 Hongkong, 7th February, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSURANCE COMPANY, are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the Current Rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 573 Hongkong, 2nd March, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at current rates.
In addition to the usual brokerage, this Association returns to the assured Fifteen per cent. of its yearly profits, divided pro rata to the net premium contributed.
RUSSELL & Co.,
Secretaries.
tf 1039 Hongkong, 1st January, 1869.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above-named Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.
RUSSELL & Co.
tf 1022 Hongkong, 1st April, 1869.

NOTICE.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding Ten days	¼	of the annual rate
Not exceeding 1 month	½	do. do.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding three months	¾	do. do.
Above 3 months, and not exceeding six months	1	do. do.
Above six months the full annual rate.		

GILMAN & Co., Agents.
tf 697 Hongkong, 17th April, 1867.

PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents to the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of $40,000, on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein.
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
tf 2966 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged on SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding 1 month	¼	of the annual rate.
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months	½	do. do.
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months	¾	do. do.
Above 6 months the full annual rate.		

GILMAN & Co., Agents,
North British & Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 693 Hongkong, 7th April, 1868.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine risks at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 471 Hongkong, 6th March, 1868.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY

ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

MANAGING AGENTS IN CHINA.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co
HONGKONG.
MEDICAL REFEREE,
IVOR MURRAY, Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances.
For further particulars, forms of proposals &c., apply to
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,
Managing Agents in China.
tf 1416 Hongkong, 15th June, 1867.

LONDON AND ORIENTAL STEAM TRANSIT INSURANCE OFFICE,
137, LEADENHALL STREET, LONDON.
JAMES HARTLEY & Co.—Managers.
ESTABLISHED 1843.

THE Undersigned is authorised to accept risks on behalf of this Office, by First Class Steamers.
W. MACAULAY, Agent.
tf Hongkong, 1st July, 1867

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LONDON.
INCORPORATED 1859.

CAPITAL, £1,000,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Marine Risks and issue Policies at current rates.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
tf 1351 Hongkong, 7th June, 1867.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.

Detached & semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from town, and their contents. } ¾ per cent. per annum
Other dwelling Houses suitably as such, and their contents. } ¾
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c., and their contents. } 1 "

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
tf 886 Hongkong, 16th March, 1865.

HONGKONG INSURANCE COMPANY, 1868.

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